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CANADA

*Producing the World's Finest Hay Products*

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# MANITOBA- *the heart of North American hay production*

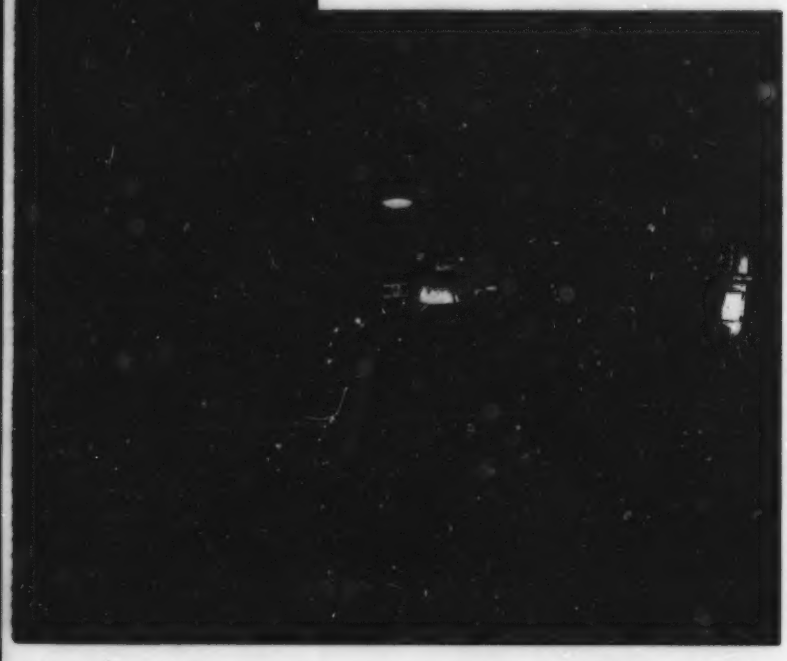
Discover Manitoba, a province in the centre of Canada, with 7 million hectares of prime prairie agricultural land. Clean air, abundant clean water and fertile soils are used by our knowledgeable farmers to produce the lushest, highest quality hay in the world.

Manitoba's northern climate provides ideal conditions for high quality hay production. Summer days see 17 hours of sunshine. Those long, warm days and cool summer nights provide the perfect growing conditions for sweeter, more palatable forage. The short growing season and Manitoba's cold winters allow for forage production without pesticides or chemicals. It's the perfect scenario for buyers seeking forage free of insects and impurities.

## *Manitoba's central location expedites efficient hay transport*

Whether by truck, train, sea or air, Manitoba's central location provides the ideal launch point for hay shipments throughout North America and around world.

Manitoba is located on the north/south axis of the mid-continent trade corridor. Manitoba hay is within one day's trucking distance to over 80 million people. Winnipeg, our capital city, operates one of the few 24-hour airports in North America.

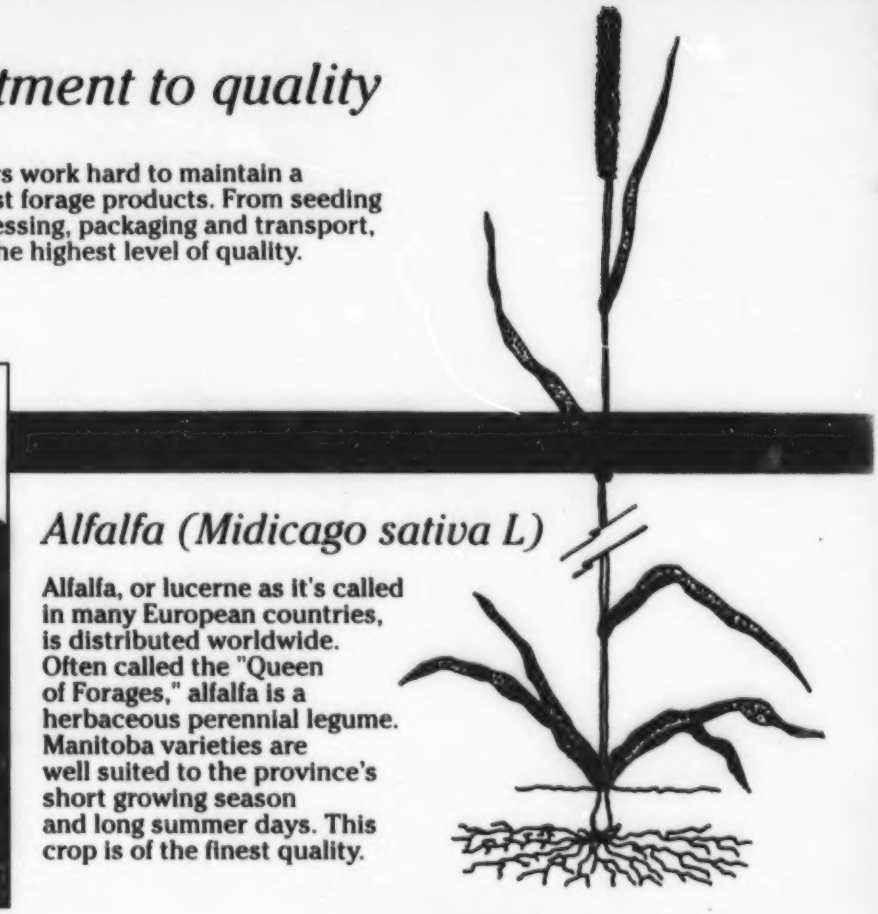


## *Technological advances make Manitoba producers leaders in hay production*

Manitoba producers have always been innovators in the world's hay production industry. Generations of innovative hay producers have honed their production skills to generate high efficiency in keeping with high output and state of the art processing equipment.

# *A personal commitment to quality*

Manitoba's forage industry members work hard to maintain a worldwide reputation for the finest forage products. From seeding to early growth, through harvest, processing, packaging and transport, careful attention to detail to maintain the highest level of quality.

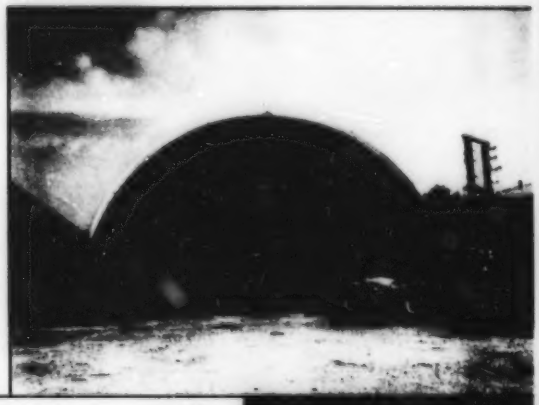


## *Alfalfa (Midicago sativa L)*

Alfalfa, or lucerne as it's called in many European countries, is distributed worldwide. Often called the "Queen of Forages," alfalfa is a herbaceous perennial legume. Manitoba varieties are well suited to the province's short growing season and long summer days. This crop is of the finest quality.

## *Timothy (Phleum Pratense L.)*

Timothy is a cool season, perennial bunchgrass. Timothy is truly a Manitoba crop, growing naturally in most areas of the province. This special forage crop grows vigorously in cool, moist areas and is very winter hardy. It associates well with other species in mixtures and produces good yields of high quality forage.



### *Timothy Hay* - **the sweet taste of Manitoba summers**

- Dry
- Dust & mildew free
- Consistent quality
- High quality fiber

Manitoba Timothy has always been a favorite of horse owners. Timothy hay makes the perfect choice for mature horse diets, with minimal protein and mineral supplements required.

The sweetness of Manitoba timothy can be attributed to 17 hours of sunshine each day, which allows the plant to develop more sugar. Manitoba hay is high in water-soluble carbohydrates, increasing its digestibility.

*Manitoba hay producers deliver the highest quality forage products to satisfied customers all over the world.*

# *The world's highest quality hay products - You select the options*

Manitoba hay customers enjoy the luxury of selecting from an assortment of hay options. Compacted bales (or densified bales) compress hay to twice its normal density. This allows for efficient storage and transportation. There is less chance of bottom stored bales being infiltrated with dirt, dust or rodents. Plus, there is no need for pallets.

With more than 20,000 tonnes of storage capacity, Manitoba processors can offer customers choice of product options, delivered across the country and around the world.

- ☐ **Pure timothy**
- ☐ **Timothy-alfalfa mix**
- ☐ **Grass-alfalfa mix**
- ☐ **Pure alfalfa**
- ☐ **Pure grass**

- ☐ **Small square bales**
- ☐ **Medium and large square bales**
- ☐ **Compacted bales ( sized to specifications)**
  - **- net wrapped**
  - **- plastic wrapped**

*We're ready to deliver your hay requirements. Please call us to discuss details.*

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# Hay and Forage Processing



## INDUSTRY DIRECTORY




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## FORAGE PROCESSING COMPANIES

**LAKE WINNIPEG HAY CO.**
Box 310, Fisher Branch, MB R0C 0Z0
(204) 372-8600 Fx (204) 372-6798
Contact: Kelby Woloshyn
Interlake Region - Compacted Hay

**SUNRIDGE FORAGE LTD.**
Box 250, Russell, MB R0J 1W0
(204) 773-2013 Fx (204) 773-3137
Contact: Gary Halwas
Northwest Region - Compacted Hay

**CANADIAN GREENFIELD FORAGES LTD.**
Box 155, Teulon, MB R0C 3B0
(204) 886-2676 Fx (204) 886-3722
Contact: Irvin Helwer
Interlake Region - Compacted Hay

**FORT WHYTE ALFALFA PRODUCTS**
Box 90, Fort Whyte, MB R3Y 1G5
(204) 488-5059 Fx (204) 489-2257
Contact: George Stilwell
Central Region - Dehydrated Alfalfa

**COLDSTREAM ALFALFA PROCESSING**
Box 337, Dauphin, MB R7N 2V2
(204) 638-7730 Fx (204) 638-8572
Contact: Chris Skuter
Northwest Region - Dehy Forage & Hay

## OTHER CONTACTS

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Contact: George Bonnefoy
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## FOR MORE INFORMATION

Contact the Extension Forage Agronomists from Manitoba Agriculture and Food or access Manitoba Agriculture and Food's Home Page @
www.gov.mb.ca/agriculture/news/index.html

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• (SS) - Small Square • (MS) - Medium Square • (LS) - Large Square • (RB) - Round Bales

### Southwest

| *Name* | *Address* | *Postal Code* | *Phone (204)* | *Fax (204)* | *Email Address* | *Products Available* |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Albrecht, Walter & Daryl | Box 808, Boissevain MB | R0K 0E0 | 534-2266 | | tardar@mb.sympatico.ca | AL, ALG (MS, RB) |
| Chapman, Russell | Box 490, Virden MB | R0M 2C0 | 534-2266 | 748-6085 | | AL, ALG, CH (SS, MS) |
| Combs, Clark & Murray | Box 777, Deloraine MB | R0M 0M0 | 747-3126/ 769-2201 | 769-2105 | | AL, ALG, ST (SS, MS) |
| Elliott, Glen | RR1, Pipestone MB | R0M 1T0 | 854-2202 | | gelliott@escape.ca | AL, ALG (MS) |
| Fotheringham, Grant | Box 3, Pipestone MB | R0M 1T0 | 854-2332 | | | AL, GH, (SS, MS) |
| Fulton, Dave | Box 141, Birtle MB | R0M 0C0 | 842-5192 | 842-3486 | dfulton@mts.net | AL, ALG, GH (SS) |
| Rome, Dennis | RR 1, Nesbitt MB | R0K 1P0 | 824-2220 | 824-2727 | drome@mb.sympatico.ca | AL (SS) |
| Shewchuk, Barry | Box 178, Sandy Lake MB | R0J 1X0 | 636-2669 | 636-2669 | | ALG (RB) |
| Van Damme, Ed | Box 85, Belmont MB | R0K 0C0 | 537-2533 | 537-2533 | | AL, ALG, GH, ST (SS) |
| Vandoorne, Don | Box 629, Boissevain MB | R0K 0E0 | 534-6754 | | laine@escape.ca | ALG (SS) |

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## Central

| Name | Address | Postal Code | Phone (204) | Fax (204) | Email Address | Products Available |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Bachalo, Arnold | RR #1, Box 71, Portage la Prairie MB | R1N 3A1 | 857-8415 | 857-3831 | | AL, GH, ST (SS, MS) |
| Beavis, Ian | | | | | | |
| Haybusters | Box 91, Clearwater MB | R0K 0M0 | 873-2025 | 873-2383 | beavis@mb.sympatico.ca | Broker |
| Beckman, Helmut | Box 119, Poplar Point MB | R0H 0Z0 | 243-2419 | 243-2727 | wacksod@cpnet.net | |
| Friesen, Gary | Box 223, Letellier MB | R0G 1C0 | 737-2616 | 737-2044 | | AL, ST (SS) |
| Friesen, Phil | | | | | | |
| Southman Alfalfa | Box 292, Crystal City MB | R0K 0N0 | 873-2001 | 873-2160 | alfalfa@mb.sympatico.ca | AL, ALG, ST (MS) |
| Grenier, Andre - Alfatons | Box 5085, St. Leon MB | R0G 2E0 | 744-2709 | | | AL, ALG (MS) |
| Hamilton, Glen or Alberta | | | | | | |
| Hamilton Holsteins | Box 143, Glenboro MB | R0K 0X0 | 827-2358 | 827-2000 | | AL, ALG, ST (MS) |
| Harms, Ken | Box 57, Snowflake MB | R0G 2K0 | 876-4782 | 876-4754 | kharms@mb.sympatico.ca | AL, ALG, ST (MS) |
| Humiski, Terry | Box 23, High Bluff MB | R0H 0K0 | 243-2441 | 243-2255 | | AL, ALG, ST (SS, RB) |
| MacDonald, Steve | Box 543, MacGregor MB | R0H 0R0 | 685-2929 | 685-2692 | | AL, ALG (SS, MS) |
| McRorie, Rick & Signe | Box 87, Westbourne MB | R0H 1P0 | 274-2010 | 274-2010 | sundownr@mb.sympatico.ca | AL, ST (MS) |
| Sanders, Jozef | Box 428, Pilot Mound MB | R0G 1P0 | 825-2282 | 825-2285 | deferyn@mb.sympatico.ca | AL, ST (MS) |
| Siemens, Jerrold | Box 420, Morris MB | R0G 1K0 | 746-8130 | 746-2145 | | AL, ST (SS, MS) |
| Thornton, Dale | Box 271, Oakville MB | R0H 0Y0 | 267-2880 | 267-2726 | | AL, ST (MS) |
| Thorton, Jim | | | | | | |
| Willow-Range Ent | Box 106, Oakville MB | R0H 0Y0 | 267-2319 | 267-2137 | thorton@mts.net | AL, ST (MS, LS) |
| Tooth, Bruce | Box 274, Oakville MB | R0H 0Y0 | 267-2398 | 267-2567 | jgtooth@cpnet.net | AL, ALG, ST (SS, MS) |
| Warburton, Bob | Box 39, Poplar Point MB | R0H 0Z0 | 243-2618 | 243-2773 | bobwarby@escape.ca | AL, ALG (MS) |
| Wiebe, Dale | Box 1345, Altona MB | R0G 0B0 | 325-6507 | | | AL, ST (MS) |
| Wright, Ken | Box 32, McGregor MB | R0H 0R0 | 685-2544 | 685-2544 | kdebe@mb.sympatico.ca | AL, ALG (SS) |
| Wishart, Ian - Kid Forages | Box 446, Portage la Prairie MB | R1N 3B7 | 857-3311 | 857-3876 | agasea@portage.net | AL, ALG, ST, GH |
| Mason, Kevin | Kid Forages | | 857-8027 | | | |
| Love, Doug | Kid forages | | 857-8220 | | | |

## Eastern

| Name | Address | Postal Code | Phone (204) | Fax (204) | Email Address | Products Available |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Blatta, John | Box 2, Aubigny MB | | 882-2110 | 882-2110 | | AL, ALG, GH, (MS) |
| Bonikowsky, Paul | Box 9, Group 7, RR 2 Dugald MB | R0E 0K0 | 444-3833 | 444-4881 | bonfarms@mts.net | AL, ALG (SS) |
| DeMeyer, Murray | Box 50, RR#2, Lorette MB | R0A0Y0 | 257-3710 | | | AL, ALG (SS, MS) |
| Gavaga, Myron | Box 110, RR 5, Winnipeg MB | R2C 2Z2 | 222-8878 | 222-1617 | | ALG, GH (SS, MS) |
| Lavalee, Jack | Box 215, RR 2, Dugald MB | R0E 0K0 | 444-2923 | 444-2923 | jplhay@escape.ca | AL, ALG, GH (SS,MS) |
| Lintott, Jim | Box 11, Group 2, RR No. 2 Dugald MB | R0E 0K0 | 444-2514 | 444-2514 | jclintott@mb.sympatico.ca | Al, ALG, ST (SS) |
| Makl, Kirk | Box 12, Grp. 25, RR1 Anola MB | R0E 0A0 | 268-9006 | 268-9069 | bhranch@mb.sympatico.ca | |
| Moroz, Bill | Box 7, Hazelridge MB | R0E 0Y0 | 755-2244 | | | Al, ALG, ST (SS,MS) |
| Panych, Walter | Box 150, Elna MB R0E 0Z0 | | 426-5519 | 426-5674 | tpanych@mb.sympatico.ca | AL, AGL, ST (SS, RB) |
| Penner, Leo | Box 159, Bluemnort MB | R0A 0C0 | 326-6564 | | | AL, ALG, ST (SS) |
| Penner, Jerry | Box 6003, Beausejour MB | R0E 0C0 | 265-3485 | 265-3265 | | AL, ST (SS, MS) |
| Plett, Alvin | Box 37, RR 1, Landmark MB | R0A 0X0 | 355-4980 | 355-4760 | abplett@mb.sympatico.ca | AL, ST (SS, MS) |
| Shewchuk, Wayne | Box 81, Ridgeville MB | R0A 1M0 | 373-2246 | 373-2246 | | AL, GH, ST (SS) |
| Wazney, Brian | Box 104, Garson MB | R0E 0R0 | 482-5274 | 482-5274 | bgowaz@mts.net | AL, ST (SS) |
| Wiebe, Jim | Box 70, Blumenort MB | R0A 0C0 | 326-2869 | 346-9863 | jimwie@mb.sympatico.ca | AL, ALG, ST (SS) |

## Interlake

| Name | Address | Postal Code | Phone (204) | Fax (204) | Email Address | Products Available |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Bernier, Ed | Box 311, Fisher Branch MB | R0C 0Z0 | 372-6937 | -372-6589 | | AL, ST (MS) |
| Chudd, John | Box 380, Gimli MB | R0C 1B0 | 642-5928 | | | AL, ALG (SS, RB) |
| Desmond, Donahue | Box 291, Petersfield MB | R0C 2L0 | 738-4319 | 738-2747 | | AL, ALG, ST (MS) |
| Duguid, Michael | Box 11, Camp Morton MB | R0C 0M0 | 642-7630 | 642-7630 | mcduguid@ecn.mb.ca | AL, ALG, ST (MS) |
| Einarson, Kelvin | | | | | | |
| Einerson Hay Ltd., | Box 720, Riverton MB | R0C 2R0 | 378-5207 | 378-5760 | efarm@mts.net | AL, ALG, (SS) |
| Elliot, Robert | Box 71, Stonewall MB | R0C 2Z0 | 467-9370 | 467-9305 | | AL (SS) |
| Geisler, Duncan | Box 200, Ashern MB | R0C 0E0 | 768-2848/ 768-3206 | 768-2353 | geislaw@escape.ca | AL (SS) |
| Gergatz, Otto & Steve | Box 98, Riverton MB | R0C 2R0 | 378-2998 | 378-2385 | | AL, ALG, ST (RB) |
| Hummel, Hubert | 223 Little Britain Rd, Lockport MB | R1A 3S2 | 757-2531 | 757-7964 | | AL, ALG, ST (MS) |
| Mannhart, Juric | RR 1, Libau MB | R0E 1C0 | 766-2724 | 766-2391 | | AL, ALG, (MS) |
| Sigurdson, Barrie | Box 220, Gimli MB | R0C 1B0 | 642-5625 | | | AL, ALG, ST (SS, MS, RB) |
| Stocki, Marvin | Box 89, Fisher Branch MB | R0E 0Z0 | 372-6642 | | | AL, ALG, GH, ST (SS) |
| Tronrud, Mark | Box 43, Teulon MB | R0C 3B0 | 886-3388 | 886-2995 | tronrud@mb.sympatico.ca | ALG, GH (SS, MS, RB) |

## Northwest

| Name | Address | Postal Code | Phone (204) | Fax (204) | Email Address | Products Available |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Archer, Orville | 20 Mcleod Avenue E. | | | | | |
| Archer Hay Farm | Dauphin MB | R7N 0G9 | 638-4739 | | | AL, GH, ST (SS, MS, RB) |
| Chychota, Glen | Box 23, Sifton MB | R0L 1X0 | 655-3338 | | chychota@mb.sympatico.ca | GH (MS) |
| Cox, Bill | Box 244, Minitonas MB | R0L 1G0 | 525-4232 | | | ALG (MS, RB) |
| Fisher Seed Farms | RR 5, Comp 64, Dauphin MB | R7N 2T8 | 638-8800 | 622-8809 | fisherseeds@mts.net | AL, ALG, ST (MS) |
| Hupalo, Brian | 30 McNeil Place, Dauphin MB | R7N 3K2 | 638-8218 | | | AL, ALG, GH (SS, MS) |
| Kaleta, Jim | Box 448, Dauphin MB | R7N 2V3 | 638-8587 | 638-6171 | gdkaleta@mb.sympatico.ca | AL, ALG (MS, RB) |
| Kooistra, Larry | Box 609, Swan River MB | R0L 1Z0 | 734-5139 | | kooistra@mb.sympatico.ca | ALG, ST (SS) |
| Kopytko, Ernie | Box 36, McCreary MB | R0J 1B0 | 835-2425 | | | AL, ALG (SS, RB) |
| Mullin, Patrick | RR #2, Bowsman MB | R0L 0H0 | 238-4444 | | | ALG (MS, RB) |
| Pentlichuk, Alvin | Box 6, Grp 30, Shortdale MB | R0L 1W0 | 546-3354 | 546-3354 | | ALG, GH (SS) |
| Puhach, John | Box 446, McCreary MB | R0J 1B0 | 835-2432 | | ajpuhach@mb.sympatico.ca | AL, ALG (RB) |
| Romak, Ted | Box 15, Cowan MB | R0L 0L0 | 569-4898 | 569-4900 | mromak@mb.sympatico.ca | AL, ALG (MS) |
| Swanton, Gerry & David | Box 239, Dauphin MB | R7N 2V1 | 638-8418 | | | AL, ALG, ST (RB) |